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TITLE
 Optical recording medium, method for manufacturing the same and target used for sputtering process

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